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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

When
It's real estate
You are interested in
See HONDO LAND COMPANY
Fletcher Davis, Phone 127, Hondo,
And Geo. H. Kimmey, Phone 172,
Hondo.

Are the Managers and ready to
serve you.
Miss Bess Brucks spent the week-
end in San Antonio.

Miss Norene Whitehead is visiting
relatives and friends here this week.
For Sale, Slightly used kitchen gas
stove. See MRS. J. O. BAUMGART-
NER 8-2t
Bargain! Bargain! 5 Foot Snow
Cases, \$25.00 each. Windrow's Drug
Store.

Hay and corn may be scarce if lost
fire. Is your insured? See O. H.
MILLER 7-4t

Miss Margaret Bradford of San
Antonio spent the week-end with
Mrs. R. W. Speece.

Miss Lucille Boon left Wednesday
for San Marcos where she enters S.
T. S. T. College.

Light house keeping rooms, close
to school house. \$15.00 per month.
See MRS. W. J. NEY. 8-2tpd.

Expert gun work. Put that new
barrel on now. Don't wait. Have it
done. C. R. Gaines. 6-tf

Mrs. M. I. Broxton had as her
guest over the week-end her sister,
Mrs. Benson, of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Coffey and Rev.
and Mrs. J. T. Horger attended a
social meeting at Utopia Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Meyer have as
their guest this week Dr. Meyer's
sister, Mrs. Elo Meyer, of Elenger.

Lost—at D'Hanis, a carpenter's
tool. Finder please leave with
ARNOLD FINGER and be rewarded.

AMBULANCE SERVICE any-
where, DAY or NIGHT. John A.
Finger, Funeral Director. Phone 75.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dillon returned
Friday from Corpus Christi where
they went on pleasure last week-end.

Mr. Russell Kaufman of San An-
tonio spent the week-end with his
sister, Mrs. Leroy Eckhart and
family.

Miss Irene Saathoff left one day
week to take up her work in
the School Music in the Lockhart
hills.

Mr. H. J. Meyer went to San An-
tonio Tuesday morning to be in at-
tendance at the operation of Mr. Ed
Geron.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lynn Russell
and baby of Refugio spent Sunday
with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.
Fester.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Rothe of San
Antonio were looking over their
land and farm on the Seco the first
of the week.

Mr. Ernest Fusselman and two
children of San Antonio spent last
week with her father, Mr. W. H.
Brown, and family.

Miss Bertha Schuchard of Stam-
per has been the guest of her sis-
ter, Mrs. R. J. Noonan and Mrs.
Decker for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Wilson, Mrs.
Barnes and Misses Thelma Wil-
son and Mary Lois Barnes spent Sat-
urday in San Antonio.

Miss Esther Saathoff and Leora
left Monday for Georgetown
where they will continue their studies
at Western University.

Mr. King and Melville Smith
spent one day last week for South-
western University at Georgetown to
continue their college work.

Misses' Motor Car Company an-
nounces low prices on Goodyear tires
and tubes. Why not buy tires at
lower prices in your home town?

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Haass and
children, Irene, and Miss Dorothy
left Wednesday for a motor
trip through the valley and into Mex-
ico.

Mr. Rothe returned to Phoenix,
Ariz., to resume his work with the
Department of Agriculture, and
a short visit with relatives and
family.

Humble Flashlike "Ethyl"
for better results. Has been
years. The great demand
for gasoline proves its quality.
Service Station. 8-tf

LIONS AND PARKING REGU- LATIONS.

Lieutenant Hamm, of the State
Highway Patrol, and one of his as-
sistants, were the invited guests of
the Hondo Lions last Tuesday. Lieut.
Hamm assured the Lions his depart-
ment appreciates very much the ef-
forts of our citizens to remedy the
local parking and traffic problems,
and that they will render every as-
sistance possible.

Lieutenant Hamm outlined what
he proposed to do to help the situa-
tion on the highway in the business
district in Hondo. After consultation
with the business men along the high-
way, especially in the block between
the Armstrong Hotel and the Ford
garage, he will put into operation one
of two parking plans: either parallel
parking on both sides of the highway,
or parking at an angle of 45 degrees
on the south side, and no parking on
the north side. He favors the latter
plan. He will send two patrolmen to
be of service to our people in accom-
modating themselves to the new park-
ing regulations. The proper signs
will be put up for the direction and
convenience of the traveling public.

Lieut. Hamm proposes also to
eliminate reckless driving and speed-
ing through town. In every way he
is going to do all he can to live up
to the motto of his department: "Ser-
vice, courtesy, protection."

Lieut. Hamm gave some interest-
ing information as to the work of the
highway patrols. After being chosen,
mainly on the basis of their standing
in their respective communities, they
receive a 45 day training at Camp
Mabry, including instruction in traffic
laws and court procedure, care and
operation of motor-cycles, use of fire-
arms, etc. There are at present 50
such men on the highways of Texas,
12 being in this district. These 12
men have patrolled 280,000 miles this
year; they have caused to be fixed
15,000 lights; they have regulated
the transportation of 150,000 bales
of cotton by truck into the port of
Corpus Christi, so that no serious
accident has occurred from that rather
dangerous source. Quite a number
of automobile fires were extinguished
by the patrolmen.

We feel that safety in traveling our
highways is due largely to the watch-
fulness of our efficient patrolmen.
We can assure them that the citizen-
ship of Hondo will gratefully assist in
carrying out any safety measure they
will order.

SELL YOUR PROPERTY, farm,
business or residence quickly for
cash. No matter where located. Pay
small commission when deal is closed.
Write me today for free description
blank and full particulars. J. D.
BAKER, First National Bank Bldg.,
Dallas, Texas. 1t

Miss Lillian Brucks was a visitor
in San Antonio Saturday. She was
accompanied home by Miss Alcine
Morris of Brownsville, who will be
the room-mate of Miss Anna Leah
Brucks at Our Lady of the Lake
College.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gilliam have
returned to their home at Corpus
Christi, but left their two little
daughters for a visit with their
grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W.
Gilliam and Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Wil-
son.

Miss Ramona Bailey resigned her
position as teacher of the Mexican
School in Yancey to continue her col-
lege studies. Miss Bailey will be a
Sophomore at Incarnate Word Col-
lege in San Antonio.

Miss Rose Staples, teacher at New
Fountain, visited Miss Jeanette Kim-
mey the past week-end. The two
young ladies were class-mates at S.
W. T. S. T. College at San Marcos
last year.

Mrs. Ed. Cameron and children
left Sunday for San Antonio to be
at the bedside of her husband, Mr.
Ed. Cameron, who has been very sick
at the Santa Rosa Hospital.

Mr. Robert Griffis and sister, Miss
Louise, and her fiancée, Mr. Floyd
Hummer, of Taylorville, Illinois, have
been visiting friends here for the
past week.

Misses Charlotte and Helen Ann
Miller, Adele Decker and Anna Leah
Brucks left Sunday for San Antonio
to enter Our Lady of the Lake Col-
lege.

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK?

By Edson R. Waite, Shawnee, Oklahoma.

THAT whenever you send your money away from home you
lose, your neighbor loses and your home town loses.
Every dollar spent in your home town comes back to you or
your neighbor directly or indirectly.

Your dollars spent at home stay at home working for the home
town morning, noon and night.
You should spend your money with your home merchants so
it will aid in making a bigger, better, busier home town. Dollars
spent at home make it possible for your local merchants to carry
bigger stocks, to increase payrolls and to aid in civic improvements.

Dollars spent in your home city help to build it, while money
spent away helps to build some other city. Help build your own
town!

TOWNS DO NOT GROW BY ACCIDENT. THEY ARE BUILT
BY MEN AND WOMEN, WITH THE AID OF CAPITAL. SPEND-
ING YOUR MONEY AT HOME KEEPS HOME CAPITAL WORK-
ING TO BUILD THE HOME TOWN.

THE ANVIL HERALD IS YOUR
"HOME MERCHANT" OF
PRINTING SERVICE.

SOME IMPORTANT SCHOOL CHANGES.

After long weeks of endeavor and
perseverance on the part of County
Superintendent W. N. Saathoff and
several school districts in Medina
County, important changes have
come to pass, to show the progres-
siveness of those who have the edu-
cation of the county's future citizens
at heart.

One of the most important events
affecting high school pupils was the
consolidation of the Kincheloe and
Deer Creek Schools with the D'Hanis
Independent School for high school
purposes. The aim in view in the
D'Hanis school is to achieve college
affiliation in the high school depart-
ment as soon as possible. A school
bus is used for conveying the child-
ren to and from their new school at
D'Hanis.

High school students formerly of
the Biry School District No. 11 are
now transferred to Devine High
School. Shook No. 10 is taking ad-
vantage of the Biry school bus by
sending tenth grade students to De-
vine also.

A third change for the advantage
of high school pupils is their trans-
fer from New Fountain School Dis-
trict No. 30 to Hondo High School
Independent District.

The result of weeks of discussion
and compromise is the consolidation
of Rio Medina School No. 2 and Yel-
low Banks No. 24. The newly con-
solidated school is a two-teacher
school at Rio Medina, giving pupils
the benefit of a nine-grade school.

These changes have been quite a
forward step for Medina County
School and foretell future progress
and interest for all rural schools in
the county.

ELITE BRIDGE CLUB.

The young matrons, members of
the Elite Bridge Club, were pleas-
antly entertained Thursday afternoon at
the home of Mrs. Earl Starnes with
her sister, Mrs. Robert Bendele, as
hostess. Suggestions of autumn were
decorative notes in the living room,
where four tables for bridge were
arranged.

Mrs. Meliff Lippold and Mrs. R. D.
Matocha received lovely tapestry
table runners for high score prizes
among the members and guests re-
spectively.

Cool refreshments of delicious ice
cream and cake were served at the
close of the afternoon's games.

The members and guests enjoying
the hospitality were Mesdames Robt.
Kollman, Volney Boon, Henry Win-
drow, M. I. Broxton, Alfred Rath,
Earl Lacy, Meliff Lippold, Earl
Starnes, McMurray, Earl Boon, Ed.
Connevey, Garland Martin, R. D.
Matocha, Herbert Decker, H. J.
Meyer, Ed. Cameron and the hostess,
Mrs. Bendele.

FIRE DEPARTMENT CALLED OUT.

Answering a fire call Monday night
at eight o'clock, the Hondo Volunteer
Fire Department rushed to the farm
of Mr. W. A. Lieber, where a barn,
filled with corn and fodder was
threatened with a large blaze. With
the aid of chemicals and skillful work,
the fire was soon extinguished. Loss
was sustained of about 100 bushels
of corn, but Mr. Lieber believes him-
self lucky not to have suffered the
complete destruction of his building
and feed storage. The origin of the
fire is attributed to carelessness of
Mexican laborers with cigarettes and
matches.

THE COMMUNITY CLUB OF D'HANIS.

Presents "Miss Blue Bonnet" a
musical comedy Tuesday evening at
the Parish Hall in D'Hanis. This is a
Wayne P. Sewell Production, one of
the foremost producers of home tal-
ent plays.

The scene is laid in the home of
Dr. and Mrs. Evans (Mr. Walter Al-
brecht and Miss Agnes Ney) in
Green Pond, South Carolina. Mrs.
Evans is anxious to marry her daugh-
ter, Magnolia, (Miss Lucine Finger)
to Benton Hills, a prominent gospel
singer, (Wilfred Fohn). Dr. Evans,
however, believes Hickory Stout to
be good enough match for Magnolia.

Here is where complications set in
until Miss Blue Bonnet (Mrs. Al-
fred Rath) arrives with her latest
theories on psychology to teach Mag-
nolia as well as the rest how to get
any thing they want. Her lectures
are so convincing that the whole
town is under the spell of her en-
thusiasm. It develops that Mag-
nolia and Blue Bonnet are in love
with the same man. Blue Bonnet
handles the situation diplomatically
and psychologically, forming the
clever and unique plot of this highly
entertaining musical comedy.

You will enjoy Mrs. Maurice Fing-
er, Corneila Koch, Viola Koch, Hazel
Koch, Loretta Koch, Veima Lieber,
James Finger, Joe Mueller and Amos
Finger.

Little Doctors and Ladies Chorus

Mary Belle Carle, Mina Jane Nes-
ter, Erna Huegele, Tiny Hubbard,
Elizabeth Franger, Elaine Biry, An-
tonette Dubery, Mathilda Kimmery,
Joe Martin Zinsmeyer, Oliver Rein-
hart, Louis Richter, August Britz,
Jr., Homer Nester, Elmer Keller,
Lawrence Hauser and Jimmie Zins-
meyer.

Frog Chorus

Catherine Fillingner, Lorine Turner,
Gladys Rieber, Melba Rieber, Melvira
Rothe, Regina Richter and Erna Hue-
gele.

Beauty Chorus

Sarah Rothe, Sylvia Tondre, Grace
Zinsmeyer, Corine Rieber, Marcelia
Ney, Corine Koch, Josephine Vogel
and Clara Fillingner.

TO MEMBERS PEOPLE'S BENE- VOLENT ASSOCIATION.

There will be a meeting of mem-
bers of our Association at Hondo
Chamber of Commerce Hall at 2
o'clock P. M. Saturday, September
27, to discuss very important mat-
ters. Do not fail.

L. F. FASELER,
Secretary.

CAKE SALE.

There will be a sale of cakes at the
Hondo Chamber of Commerce Hall
at eleven o'clock A. M. Saturday,
September 20, for benefit of the
fund for Hondo's float for the open-
ing parade at the Fair. Come and
buy a cake and help Hondo decorate
an attractive float for that occasion.
Committee.

GOAT MEAT.

For sale on Saturday afternoon at
corner of College Square \$1.00 per
quarter. Phone in order by Friday
night. Live goats \$3.50. Telephone
957F5. A. C. GILLIAM.

LOST.

One white Spanish billy goat with
horns from my pasture. Finder will
please notify L. W. GRAFF, Phone
960F22. 8-2tpd

See Hondo Land Co. to buy real
estate. 1t

TEXAS AND TEXANS

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By Will H. Mayes.

"All Texans for All Texas"

Talk That Harms Texas

Just as Texas is escaping from the
harmful political talk that has be-
coming the State a "black eye,"
especially in the East, the papers are
carrying streamers about "drouth con-
ditions" in the State. There are some
12 or 15 counties of the 49 where
continued dry weather has injured
crops and worked hardships on the
farmers and those dependent on them
for business. In none of these coun-
ties has there been a complete crop
failure. That many farmers in these
counties need help cannot be denied,
but if any are on the verge of star-
vation, as has been broadcast to the
world, it is largely because they re-
fuse to accept jobs on the farms that
have been seeking cotton pickers.
There has not been a time since the
drouth started when farmers in the
more prosperous sections of the State
were not needing help to gather their
crops, the labor shortage for pickers
alone never having been less
than 25,000. There are individual
cases where farm laborers could not
leave their homes and go to the
localities where cotton is plentiful,
but it may be stated safely that
three-fourths of those where the
drouth has been most severe own
automobiles and have been able to
get money with which to buy gaso-
line and oil. Too much is being said
about the few sections in which the
drouth has been most damaging and
not enough about the more than 200
counties in Texas where prosperity is
evident.

Improvident Movers

This columnist has lived in Texas
nearly fifty years—most of the time
on or near a highway connecting
parts of East Texas with parts of
West Texas. In all that time there
has never been a season when there
has not been an almost continuous
string of people moving either from
East to West or from West to East.
Those moving West almost invariably
say that they have been "rained out"
in East Texas, and those going East
say they have been "burned out" by
dry weather in West Texas. In the
great majority of cases the trouble
has been more because of the resis-
tance of the "movers" than weather
conditions. There is no coun-
try in which there are not times when
there is either too much or too little
rain. There is no business in which
there are not periods of money mak-
ing and depression. Sensible business-
men know that these conditions alter-
nate and they figure profits on a
period of time rather than on one
season, on several lines of merchan-
dise rather than one or two staples.
Farmers who do this, sticking to their
chosen localities and growing a va-
riety of crops, are seldom in position
to be forced to ask for "farm relief."
It is nearly always the floater who
needs help.

Building More Railroads

The Texas-Pacific Railroad is seek-
ing and should be allowed to build a
line from Big Springs through
Howard, Dawson, Terry, Hockley,
Lamb, Castro, Deaf Smith and Old-
ham counties, with branch lines to
Lubbock and Amarillo. The project
covers 323 miles of new construction
in Texas and is to cost approximately
\$13,000,000, making it the largest
railway building enterprise of the
year in this country. A Texas charter
has been granted and application will
be made to the Interstate Commerce
Commission for a permit. All that
will be asked from the people on the
line will be the right of way. The
proposed line will give an immense ter-
ritory outlet to all the Gulf ports and
be a great factor in building up a
vast section of the plains country of
Texas. There is now approximately
\$20,000,000 of new railway construc-
tion under way or being planned in
Texas, giving employment to much
labor.

Highway Building Goes On

The Texas highway commission has
decided to put a clause in its con-
struction and maintenance contracts
providing that so far as possible work
is to be done with labor procured in
the counties in which the work is
being done. If contractors carry out
contracts in good faith the employ-
ment situation will be helped in many
localities. However, with present-day
machinery, much of the work formerly
done by man power is now done
by huge machines and road construc-
tion does not give employment to as
many as it once did.

Great Projects Planned

Not only will \$30,000,000 be spent
in railway building and an equal
amount in highway construction
within the next year, but irrigation
projects under way indicate that
fully that amount will be spent in
building huge irrigation plants in
scattered sections of the State. The
Trinity navigation undertaking, if
carried through, will require another
quarter of a million dollars, and va-
rious conservation projects are plan-
ned. There is no reason to anticipate
anything but continued prosperity
for Texas.

Trucks and Highways

Deaths and accidents directly at-
tributable to big, over-loaded trucks
that are now monopolizing and wear-

ing out the highways of Texas are
daily becoming more frequent. Texas
has never contemplated building ex-
pensive roadways at public cost for
the purposes for which they are now
so largely used. The encroachment of
the truck and bus lines upon private
use of the roadways has been so
gradual that it has hardly been no-
ticed and but little complaint has
been made. But the toll of life they
are now taking is so large and the
menace to private use of the high-
ways has become so great that the
next legislature will likely take steps
to protect the road rights of the pub-
lic, which after all owns the highways
of the State and has first right to
their use.

Attracting Undesirables

The El Campo Citizen says that
the prosperity of that part of Texas
is so apparent that many fakers and
grifters are heading that way offer-
ing all kinds of dollar-catching
schemes to get the unguarded money
of citizens. Grifters are as prone
to seek prosperous towns as birds are
to go South in winter. When grafting
does not pay, hijacking and other
forms of robbery are resorted to by
the fellows who would live without
working. Every Texas town is afflicted
regularly by undesirables of this
class who should be made to move on
or else put to work on the streets.

Carnival Concessions

One of the worst afflictions of
Texas towns is the carnival conces-
sion holder. Carnivals themselves, as
now conducted, are bad enough, but
the small gambling devices that al-
ways accompany them when allowed
to do so are worse. At a carnival play-
ing the recent fair at Brownwood,
and advertised widely as a fair at-
traction, seven gambling concessions
were closed by local officers, and ac-
cording to reports "much of the
glamor of the carnival was taken
away." Officers are sworn to enforce
laws and should put a quick stop to
this form of petty stealing wherever
it is attempted.

Fig Crop Good

Figs thrive in almost every part of
Texas and in almost all kinds of
weather. Where attention is given the
trees and the fruit is canned or pre-
served figs pay well. At least it pays
to have enough trees to supply home
demands, and even a small town lot
furnishes enough room for that.
Every home should have a few fig
trees.

Potato Crop Good

The Texas potato crop this year
is estimated at 3,500,000 bushels,
which is about 1,500,000 more than
the average for the last five years.
Drouth in the Eastern States has de-
creased the production of the country
about 8,000,000 bushels. Spuds are
going to be spuds after awhile un-
less all signs are wrong.

Home Products Week

Plainview is to have a "Home Pro-
ducts Week," during which home pro-
ducts are to be displayed in all show
windows, and merchants and others
will make special efforts to sell goods
made in Plainview.

Why Be Down-Hearted?

On almost any street corner one
can find a group of people talking
about "hard times" and "unemploy-
ment." Some of the talk is justifi-
able; most of it is not. Most able-
bodied men who are willing to do
hard work can find it somewhere in
Texas—not always the kind desired,
but work of some kind. Far too
many of them are "left-overs" from
the recent political campaigns who,
finding themselves without anything
political to talk about, are turning
to "hard times" and "dry weather"
just to make conversation, which is
the hardest work some of them care
to do. There is really nothing in
present conditions about which to
worry greatly. There have been oc-
casional drouths in Texas and in
other States, too, since the beginning
of time, but people have managed to
survive them. Conditions in three-
fourths of the State are fine. Al-
most everybody is busy. Street cor-
ner idlers are the chief croakers.
They could find profitable employ-
ment in getting ready for fall gar-
dens. But that requires exertion,
talk does not.

Evidence of Prosperity

Here are a few items gleaned
from a single issue of a Texas daily
paper showing that Texas is build-
ing right along. These do not in-
clude one-tenth of the enterprises
under way or now being planned,
but they are enough to convince any
one that hard times have not hit
Texas very hard.

The Texas-Pacific Railroad is ask-
ing for permission to spend \$13,000,-
000 in building 323 miles of road
from Big Springs north through West
Texas.

The same road is spending \$3,000,-
000 for station and terminal facilities
at Fort Worth.

The Fort Worth and Denver Rail-
way will spend \$4,000,000 for new
line construction in the Eastern part
of the Panhandle.

The Santa Fe is rushing comple-
tion of its line to the Rio Grande at
Presidio.

The Texas Tinnium Chemical
Company has begun building a \$1,-
000,000 plant at El Paso.
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ZEN of the Y. D.

A Novel of the Foothills

By ROBERT STEAD

Author of "The Cow Puncher," "The Homesteaders," "Neighbors," etc.

CHAPTER XIV

The next day Wilson paid his usual visit to the field where Grant was working and again was he the bearer of a message. With much difficulty he managed to extricate the envelope from a pocket.

"Dear Mr. Grant," it read, "I am so sorry over a remark dropped last night I must see you again as soon as possible. Can you drop in tonight, say eight. Yours, ZEN."

Grant read the message a second time, wondering what remark could have occasioned it. For a moment he pondered if she had created a pretext for which to bring him to the house of the river, and then instantly dismissed that thought as unworthy of him. At any rate it was evident that she was addressing her by her Christian name and had given no offense. This time he had not called him "The Man-on-a-Hill," and there was no suggestion of playfulness in the note. Then the signature, "Yours, Zen"; that might mean anything, or it might mean nothing. Either it was purely formal or it implied a very great deal indeed.

Grant reflected that it could hardly be interpreted anywhere between those extremes, and was it reasonable to suppose that Zen would use it in an entirely formal sense? If it had been "yours truly," or "yours sincerely," or any such stereotyped conclusion it would not have called for a second thought, but the simple word "yours"—

"If only she were," thought Grant, as he felt the color creeping to his face. It was the first time he had dared that much. He had not dared to wonder much where or when this affair must end. Through all these years that had passed, Zen had been to him a sweet, evasive memory



Much Difficulty He Managed to Extricate the Envelope From a Pocket.

He dreamed over and idealized, a daring, irresponsible incarnation of the spirit of the hills.

He wrote on the back of the note, "I got for me at eight," and then, obeying that the boy had not brought along, he inquired solicitously of the health of the little pet.

"He's all right, but mother wouldn't bring him. Said I might lose him." The tone in which the last words were spoken implied just how possible such a thing was. Lose Ted—no one but a mother could think of an absurdity.

"I got a knife!" Wilson exclaimed, his mind darting to a happier prospect. "Daddy gave it to me. Will it sharpen it? It is as dull as a

razor was to learn during the day all the boy's figures of speech now hung in the family pig. The pig was as dull as a pig; the plow was as rough as a pig; the horses, when they capered at a corner, were wild as a pig; even Grant himself, when he held the little chap firmly on his knee, received the doubtful comment of being as strong as a pig. The knife on the leather lines of the Wilsons, with childish dexterity of imagination, now pronounced it as a pig.

The boy did not return to the field after tea, and Grant spent the afternoon in a strange admixture of happiness and the pleasant companionship of this little son of the hills and anticipation of his meeting with Zen that night.

Grant prepared his supper of bacon and fried potatoes, bread and

jam and black tea, and ate it from the kitchen table. Supper ended, he noticed he had just time to walk to Transley's house before eight o'clock.

Zen received him at the door; the maid had gone to a neighbor's, she said, and Wilson was in bed. She lighted the dry wood in the fireplace.

"I have been so anxious to see you—again," she said, drawing a chair not far from him. "A chance remark of yours last night brought to memory many things—things I have been trying to forget." Then, abruptly, "Did you ever kill a man?"

"You know I was in the war," he returned, evading her question.

"Yes, and you do not care to dwell on that phase of it. I should not have asked you, but you will be the better able to understand. For years I have lived under the cloud of having killed a man."

"You!"

"Yes. The day of the fire—you remember?"

Grant had started from his chair. "I can't believe it!" he exclaimed. "There must have been justification!" "You had justification at the front, but it doesn't make the memory pleasant. I had justification, but it has haunted me night and day. For all these years I have been carrying in my heart a secret until it seems to have grown so big I must tell some one, or burst. And then, last night, his name was mentioned, which brought it all back to me as though it had been yesterday. Time doesn't seem to cure some things, ever, does it? And after I had gone to bed, and was thinking it all over, I suddenly knew there was one man I could tell. That is why I sent that note. . . . You weren't angry?"

"Angry! Dear—!" He checked his lips on forbidden words.

"Who?" he managed to say.

"Drak."

"Drak!"

"Yes. I had killed him that day of the fire. It is rather an unpleasant story, and you will excuse me repeating the details. I know. He attacked me—we were both on horseback, in the river—I suppose he was crazed with his wild deed, and less responsible than usual. He dragged me from my horse and I fought with him in the water, but he was much too strong. I had concluded that to drown myself, and perhaps him, was the only way out, when I saw a leather thong floating in the water from the saddle. By a ruse I managed to flip it around his neck, and the next moment he was at my mercy. I had no mercy then. I pulled it tight, tight—pulled till I saw his face blacken and his eyes stand out. He went down, but still I pulled. And then, after a little, I found myself on shore.

"I suppose it was the excitement of the fire that carried me on through the day, but at night—you remember?—there came a reaction, and I couldn't keep awake. I suddenly seemed to feel that I was safe, and I could sleep."

(To Be Continued.)

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ELECTION NOTICE.

Whereas, a petition has been filed with me, asking for an election to determine whether or not the town of Hondo, in Medina County, Texas, should be incorporated under the Commission Form of Government, said petition being accompanied by a plat of said proposed incorporation, and being in all respects in compliance with the law, Whereas, satisfactory proof has been made to me showing that the territory embraced within said proposed incorporation has a population of more than two thousand and less than 5,000 persons, therefore

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the Court-House in said town of Hondo, on Tuesday, the 7th day of October, 1930, for the purpose of determining whether or not the town of Hondo shall be incorporated for municipal purposes under the Commission Form of Government under the name of "Town of Hondo."

The territory to be incorporated is described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stake the northeast corner of the A. Gsell 160 acre survey No. 187. Thence west 950 varas, or 2640 feet to a stake for upper northwest corner. Thence south 950 varas, or 2640 feet to a stake the southwest corner said survey 187, and N. E. corner survey 158, Hy. Wilson. Thence W. 1,110 feet to a stake the N. W. corner of the Mayer Addition to town of Hondo. Thence south along west side of Texas Street across said survey No. 158, 950 varas or 2640 feet to a stake in its south line. Thence E. 1,110 feet to a stake the S. E. corner of said survey 158; Thence south 2640 feet or 950 varas to a stake the southwest corner of the John Wolfart 320 acre survey No. 184; for lower S. W. corner. Thence along its south line east 5230 feet or 1900 varas to a stake the S. E. corner said survey No. 184 for lower S. E. corner. Thence N. along its east line 950 varas or 2640 feet to a stake the S. W. corner of the F. Enderle 320 acre survey No. 194; Thence east along its south line 3618 feet the S. E. corner of Subdivision "M" owned by Dr. W. H. Smith for upper S. E. corner. Thence N. 1615 feet to N. E. corner Subdivision "H"; Thence N. 150 feet across the G. H. & S. A. R. Co. right-of-way; Thence W. 735 feet to a stake the S. E. corner of Subdivision Block "C" owned by Dr. B. R. Bradley; Thence N. along its east line 1054 feet to a stake in south line of the A. Brieden Survey No. 193; Thence west about 200 feet to a stake the S. E. corner of the August Schmidt 20 acre subdivision; Thence N. 660 feet the N. E. corner of said Aug. Schmidt 20 acre tract; Thence west 2640 feet to a stake in east line of the J. Gunhensperger 160 acre survey No. 188. Thence N. 2040 feet to a stake the N. E. corner of said survey No. 188; Thence west along its north line 950 varas or 2640 feet the N. W. corner of said survey No. 188 to the place of beginning, and containing about 1267 acres of land, more or less, and more fully described and shown on map attached to and made a part of said petition. Said territory all lies in Medina County, Texas, and when incorporated is to be known as the town of Hondo.

At said election there shall be elected a mayor and two commissioners who shall serve until the first Tuesday in April, 1931.

Every person who has attained the age of twenty-one years and who has resided within the limits of said proposed town for the six months next preceding, and is a qualified voter under the laws of this State, shall be entitled to vote at said election.

On each ticket the voter must write or cause to be written or printed thereon "For Commission," or "Against Commission."

Felix Batot is hereby appointed as Presiding Judge, Geo. Carle, Judge, and Mrs. C. J. Schuehle and Mrs. J. R. Chancey as clerks, for the holding of said election.

Said election shall be held and governed by the general laws of Texas, and due returns made within five days after said election as provided by law.

Witness my official hand and seal of office, at Hondo, Texas, on this, the 3rd day of September A. D. 1930.

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HONDO-SOMERSET PLAY.

From the Owl.

Saturday, September 20, at 3:00 Hondo High School's Owls meet the Somerset Bulldogs in the opening football game of the 1930-31 season. The game is to be played on the High School field. The game marks the opening of Coach Barry's fourth year as mentor of the Owls and the start of the campaign that will bring the district championship to Hondo this year. With Captain Don Windrow's shoulder well and only a few minor scratches on the players, all is optimistic in the Owl Roost.

Coaches Barry and Broxton have lined up a strong combination and will give Hondo a real winner this year. Building around veterans of previous campaigns the coaches have used good material, found among new men and transfer students, to mold what will probably prove the strongest team in the history of the school. So well do some of the players line-up that it looks like Hondo will place several men on the all-district team this year.

Saturday's opponents, the Bulldogs, played Hondo last year and lost 26 to 0. This year the Somerset team has a new coach and held a pre-season training session at Kerrville. The Somerset superintendent sends word that the Bulldogs will upset the dope (that Hondo will win by better than two touchdowns) remove the sting of last year's defeat and come off the field victorious. The Bulldogs put up a game fight last year, but were greatly handicapped by lack of equipment and training.

But in spite of all improvements by the Bulldogs, it is hard for the dopesters to see anything else than Hondo winning by at least 12 points. The starting line-up of Hondo has an all-lettering backfield with all-district quarterback Don Windrow at its head. Let Windrow get past end for a few yards and there will be a score for Hondo for there is not a member of the Bulldog team that can catch Don. The halves, Finger and Haegelin, are going to cause Somerset no end of trouble with their speed. Leinweber, with a line that will charge, will turn in a nice bit of yardage gained. The relief backs, and they will all see action, also will make some good gains for Hondo. Taylor at full will furnish the punch to score a touchdown when near the goal. Wilson with his neat pass snatching ability is going to cause trouble for the lads of Somerset.

The line, made up of lettermen and new finds, will be watched with considerable interest by local fans and scouts from the different district teams. In the line lies Hondo's 1930-31 football chances. If the line comes through, the Owls will be the champions; if it loafs and fails to fight as last year; Hondo will win but six of its eleven games. Two veterans will hold down the wing positions at the start of Saturday's contest. Stanley and B. C. Rucker will be ever ready to grab passes and do their share on the offense. If these two ends have improved on the defense and developed an aggressiveness, then woe unto Hondo opponents. At tackle will be two new-comers, C. Stiegler and



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Garteiser. Both of these boys are big and full of fight. And best of all, they charge. In the matches with the outlaws these two tackles showed up well and looked like real stuff. At guard will be veterans again. Mask and Rothe filling the docket there. Both of these players have been playing better than they did last year and have gotten a fighting spirit they did not have last season. Mask is taking great delight in seeing how hard he can hit his opponent. At center will be Jack Droicourt, a veteran of last year. He will have Bailey to relieve him. Both of these lettermen are capable of ruining an opposing team, but neither seem to have any fight during the game. To their advantage though it can be said that they rarely pull boners during the game. With the exception of the ends, all the relief material has had some experience and is capable of winning football games.

Hondo's players will probable answer the call as follows:

Starting	Subs
Stanley	F. Rucker
Stiegler	Right End
Mask	Right Tackle
Droicourt	Right Guard
Rothe	Center
Garteiser	Left Guard
B. C. Rucker	Left Tackle
Windrow	Left End
Finger	Quarterback
Haegelin	Left Half
Leinweber	Right Half
	Fullback

CLASSES ELECT OFFICERS.

From the Owl.

During the past week all of the high school classes have had meetings and have elected their officers for the school year of 1930-31. The following are the officers of the classes:

Freshmen: President, Mary Ruth Wilson; Vice president, Tony Taylor; Secretary-treasurer, Roy Schweers; Reporter, Bernice Chancey.

Sophomores: President, August Finger; Vice president, John Crouch;

Secretary-treasurer, Ruth Lee Shelton; Reporter, Irene Barkaloo.

Juniors: President, Frank Rucker; Vice president, Lucille Van Fleet; Secretary-treasurer, Mary Lois Barnes; no reporter.

Seniors: President, George Isaac Wilson; Vice president, Naomi Shoor; Secretary-treasurer, Don Windrow; no reporter.

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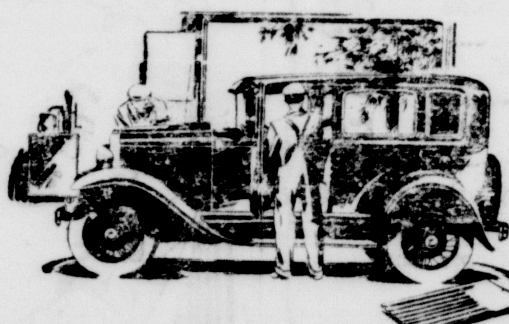
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Fruits and candies of all kinds, at CARLE'S CONFECTIONERY. 33-tf

For Sale, one nice 5-year-old horse. Also one stock saddle, R. C. BLESS.

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Mrs. John Finger went to San Antonio one day this week for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Tillotson attended the Laredo-Monterrey auto races Saturday, returning to Hondo Sunday evening. The race was run by a number of makes of automobiles and the distance of 150 miles between the two towns was covered. Mr. Tillotson was at the terminus of the race at Monterrey and saw the winner come in. Bill Campbell won first with a Chrysler in Class A and Earl Allen, first with a Chevrolet in Class B.

For Sale, my 437-acre stock-farm, 40 acres in cultivation, three pastures fenced goat-proof, five miles west of Bandera, 1 1/2 miles from school. Good fruit orchard, five-room house, two wells and two springs. Will sell farm at \$19.00 per acre and throw in 100 head of sheep, 70 goats and four horses, now on place, on easy terms. Apply on place to owner, ROY CHIPMAN, Bandera, Texas. 9-1tpd

Mrs. Meta Goff came out Saturday from San Antonio for a visit with relatives and friends. She was accompanied by Miss Octavia Davis, who spent the day with homefolks and by David Holloway, who remained here after visiting for some time in San Antonio. David will leave in the near future for Washington, D. C., where he will enter the Government School.

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Mrs. Jake Haby was a pleasant business caller at this office Saturday.

Edwin Schulte of Dunlay was a business caller at this office Saturday.

I am agent for the Maytag Washing Machine. R. L. Mumme, Hondo, Texas. 5-tf

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Miss Olga Lieber from near D'Hanis paid this office a business call Tuesday.

William Hickey and Ralph Milam of San Antonio were pleasure seekers here Sunday.

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Harry Haby of Dunlay was a business caller at this office Saturday and renewed for both the Anvil Herald and FARMING.

Louis J. Saathoff paid this office a business call Saturday and moved up both his Anvil Herald and FARMING dates a couple of notches.

I am an agent for the McClain Monument Works of San Antonio. See me for Headstones and Monuments. H. J. Boehle, Dunlay, Texas.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hubbard, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Kerr, Jr., of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Braden of D'Hanis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Rucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rucker had as their guests over the week-end, Mrs. Rucker's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hagopian, and little daughters, Lillian and Wanda.

Misses Millie Allen and Amelia Bendele accompanied by Misses Leora Luborn and Edith Mealer and Charles Tyler of Sabinal spent Sunday at Medina Lake and San Antonio.

Elsewhere will be found the announcement of C. J. Schuehle as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Medina County. Mr. Schuehle is serving his first term as Sheriff and asks you to return him to the office.

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Only eighteen more days remain until Hondo votes on the question of incorporation—Tuesday, October 7. As is usual in such movements, those in favor of the change are organized and active—as evidenced by last week's report of the Lions Club meeting—whereas the opposition is without organization or leadership. It is to be hoped that indifference and inaction on the part of the masses will not permit it to be put over by a minority. Let every one vote—and then if a majority favors the movement all can cheerfully acquiesce. Indifference at the crucial moment leads to dissatisfaction and contention.

Roy Oefinger, the 16-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Oefinger, who was tried in the juvenile court in San Antonio Monday, was convicted of delinquency and sent to the boys' reform school at Gatesville until he is twenty-one. Young Oefinger had confessed to the killing of a San Antonio policeman in a hold-up while the lad was under the influence of liquor given him by an older man who also participated in the hold-up.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Koch and little son were here from Houston last week visiting Mr. Koch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Koch. Mr. and Mrs. Koch were accompanied by their friend, Mrs. A. Collins, and little daughter, also of Houston, on their visit here. The party motored back to Houston Friday afternoon of last week. Steve's friends are glad to know that he is doing well in the sheet metal business in Houston.

Editors McKinney and Brandon of Sabinal were here Monday investigating Hondo's feed mills with a view of encouraging the installation of such an enterprise in Sabinal. The two mills here, one operated by Monkhouse & Starnes and the other by P. R. Richter, are doing a good business, especially in doing custom grinding for the stock-farmers.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schuehle were visitors at Bolling one day last week where they saw their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Schuehle, in a splendid stage performance. Mr. and Mrs. Otis Schuehle are with the Dude Arthur Stock Company, which will close its season at Corpus Christi about Christmas.

Joe Huesser and Mrs. Myrtle Williams have opened a lunch counter and soft drink stand in the building adjoining the Post Office, formerly occupied by Geo. Heyer's Confectionery, and will serve the public with the best of short orders. Also ice-cream at 10c a dish. Your patronage will be appreciated. Open until midnight. 1t

A card was received by Mrs. W. G. Balzen that a seven and one half pound baby boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Markland September 3 at Canon City, Colorado. Mrs. Markland will be remembered here as Miss Erna Bohlen.

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Rev. and Mrs. C. P. Hasskarl motored to San Antonio last Wednesday to see an eye specialist in the interest of Mrs. Hasskarl's eyes, which are giving her much trouble and concern.

Mrs. J. F. Nichols arrived Thursday night from Springfield, Mo., to see her mother, Mrs. W. H. Taylor, who has been very ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. R. Gaines.

Mrs. Matt Saathoff of New Fountain has been confined to her bed for a week or more with internal troubles. Mrs. Weiss of San Antonio is nursing her.

C. W. Gilliam was a business visitor to Junction last week-end. He says the Junction country is very dry and sheep and goat men are losing heavily.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Droicourt and Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Jungman attended the funeral of Mrs. Joe Haegelin, Sr., at Castroville Sunday.

Mrs. H. E. Haass and daughter, Irene, and Mrs. Fletcher Davis visited Mr. and Mrs. Robt. de Montel above Castroville Sunday.

OWLS GET JERSEY NUMBERS.

Blue jerseys with white numbers on the back were issued to twenty-four candidates of the Owl football team Monday. The boys will keep the jerseys all year and will also have the same number for the entire season.

Those receiving jerseys with their respective numbers and positions are

1. Windrow, quarter.
2. F. Rucker, end.
3. Ulbrich, guard.
4. Finger, half, quarter.
5. Wilson, half.
6. Langfeld, end.
7. Droicourt, center.
8. Pichot, tackle.
9. Muennink, half.
10. Leinweber, fullback.
11. Taylor, fullback.
12. Mechler, tackle.
13. Bailey, center, tackle.
14. Hyatt, guard, tackle.
15. Stiegler, tackle.
16. Schweers, end, half.
17. B. C. Rucker, end.
18. Garteiser, tackle.
19. Stanley, end.
20. Jones, half, end.
21. Haegelin, half.
22. Rothe, guard, center.
23. Smith, guard.
24. Mask, guard.

BRIDGE TEA.

The lovely home of Mrs. R. J. Noonan was the scene of an interesting bridge tea Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Noonan as hostess, complimenting her sister, Miss Bertha Schuchard of Stamford, and the members of the Thursdays Bridge Club.

Three tables of bridge formed the afternoon's entertainment, with Mrs. John Finger the winner of high score prize, a handsome tapestry piece. The honoree, Miss Schuchard, was presented a lovely gift of dainty lingerie. In cutting for consolation prize, Mrs. Jack Lacy received a box of sheer linen handkerchiefs.

Molded fruit salad, potatoe chips, chicken sandwiches and iced tea served in single course was a delicious repast at the conclusion of the games. Those present were Mesdames Robert Decker, John Finger, L. E. Heath, Horace Bradley, T. B. Knopp, W. H. Smith, O. B. Taylor, H. J. Meyer, Charles Monkhous, Ed Cameron, Earl Starnes and Miss Schuchard. Tea guests were Mrs. Jack Lacy and Mrs. Henry Merriman.

CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to express my sincerest gratitude to the Hondo Volunteer Fire Department and to those friends and neighbors, who so quickly responded to my call for assistance Monday night and saved my barn from serious damage by fire.

W. A. LIEBER.

DR. AND MRS. MEYER BRIDGE HOSTS

Tuesday night Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Meyer were hosts for five tables of bridge, the guests including the members of the Thursday Bridge Club and their husbands and several out-of-town visitors. The reception rooms were lovely with zinnias, queen's wreath and fern for floral decoration.

At the conclusion of the playing, Mrs. O. B. Taylor won a useful scissor's set for high score among the members. Mrs. George Gilliam received a deck of bridge cards for guest prize and Dr. O. B. Taylor was presented a pearl handled knife for high score among the men.

A delicious supper, consisting of chicken sandwiches, olives, sponge cake, Egyptian cake and an orange beverage was served buffet style.

The guests included Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Heath, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Starnes, Judge and Mrs. R. J. Noonan, Dr. and Mrs. O. B. Taylor, Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith, Dr. and Mrs. T. B. Knopp, Mrs. John Finger, Mr. Volney Boon and Mr. and Mrs. George Gilliam of Corpus Christi and the hosts, Dr. and Mrs. Meyer.

WANTS US TO GO FISHING.

Like Will Rogers, all I know is what I see in the papers. Last week I read in the Hondo Anvil Herald where Miss Anne Davis becomes editor of her father's paper. For 30 years Fletcher Davis has been in harness in Medina county. Now he promotes himself to the managing editor's desk, and his accomplished daughter ascends to the editors chair. Her training admirably fits her for the place. Over at Bandera, Marvin Hunter, Jr., succeeds his father as editor of the Bandera New Era. Marvin Hunter, Sr., has been on the job 10 years boosting Bandera. He will devote his future time to his magazine publication Frontier Times. To the new editors of the New Era and the Anvil Herald we extend fraternal felicitations; to the "tired old man" of each paper we would suggest a fishing trip at Medina Lake—and a deer hunt this fall—Camp Wood Crony.

VAGABOND CLUB.

Misses Frances Finger and Mary Ruth Cameron entertained the Vagabond Club and some additional guests Saturday night at the home of the former.

After five games of bridge Miss Lela Boyd was given a green vanity for high score and Gladys Fusselman was given a toy bird cage for low. Delicious refreshments consisting of tuna fish salad on lettuce leaves, potato chips, saltines, iced tea and the angel food cake iced in green, the club colors, were served to the following: Misses Ellen Tweedy, Lela Boyd, Sue Healy, Anna Leah Brooks, Adele Decker, Harriet Louise Shoot, Ida Bell Benson, Lucille Boon, Elizabeth Holloway, Bernice Mcfield, Hedwig Nester, Lucy Davis, Eleanor Wilson, Evelyn Kimmey, Eleanor Heyen, Gladys Fusselman and Lillian Schroeder and the hostesses.

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QUIHI NOTES.

ANOTHER TRADES DAY SOON.

UPPER QUIHI NOTES.

ROOMS.

"We preach Christ crucified, unto the Jews a stumblingblock, and unto the Greeks foolishness; but to them which are called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God, and the wisdom of God." I. Cor. 1: 23 and 24.

Sunday morning at 9 o'clock Sunday school and Bible class begin. This is an opportunity which invites adults as well as the boys and girls of this community to sing the songs of Zion and engage for an hour in the study of some essential biblical facts and truths. All are welcome.

Two divine services are scheduled to be held Sunday in Bethlehem Lutheran church. The first at 10 o'clock in the forenoon in the German language and the second at 7:30 o'clock P. M. in the English tongue. A cordial invitation to come to these services is extended to all. Please bring your English hymnbooks to the night service.

The committee appointed by the Quihi Luther league to assist the Ladies' aid society is arranging and staging the community social to be given at the parish hall Quihi on the night of October 4 is made up of Messrs. Arthur Grell and Rolf Saat-hoff and Miss Eileen Hartmann. Donations in money or articles will be greatly appreciated and accepted by any member of the committee. The doors to this social will be opened about 6:30 and the program will be rendered at 7:30 P. M. All are cordially invited to come to this social and enjoy the program and all else offered on the grounds.

Rev. Hasskarl of Bethlehem Lutheran church wishes to organize, if possible, in the near future an adult class to be instructed and prepared for confirmation. All who desire to join this class are kindly requested to announce themselves to him.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH NOTES.

Program for Sunday, September 21:

Sunday School at 9:15.
English Services at 10:30.
You are cordially invited to worship with us.

Last Sunday, September 14, Frances Marie Westfall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Westfall, was baptized.

H. A. HEINEKE,
Pastor.

TO THE PUBLIC.

This is to inform you that I am shelling corn at three cents per bushel and will appreciate your patronage. ALVIN MUMME. 8-4tpd.

The results of Hondo's initial Trades Day, September 10, was so satisfactory in every way that the Managers, at a meeting Wednesday night, decided to offer the same kind of premiums on the next occasion, Wednesday, October 8—a cow, a sow and a pen of chickens.

The purchase of these premiums will again be under the direction of County Agent C. M. Merritt, and any farmers having stock suitable for this purpose are urged to see him at once. It will no doubt be surprising to many to learn that suitable stock for this purpose is scarce and hard to procure. This fact lends emphasis to the importance of the Trades Day in a manner nothing else could. Bringing out the fact that such stock may have to be sought elsewhere because not available here shows a scarcity that should not exist; the bringing of them in will encourage their production and supply the demand. Thus will a double service be rendered the community aside from the stimulation of trade among local merchants.

In the meantime, remember the next Trades Day is coming—October 8—and ask for your tickets.

JUDGE AND MRS. R. J. NOONAN ENTERTAIN.

The members of the Thursday Bridge Club were honored with a delightful bridge party Tuesday night with Judge and Mrs. R. J. Noonan extending the hospitality. Floral decorations enhanced the charm of the card room.

Mrs. Horace Bradley was the recipient of a crystal-like water pitcher for high score prize among the ladies. Mr. L. E. Heath received a fine liqueur set for the highest score among the gentlemen.

The delectable supper, served from the buffet, consisted of chicken sandwiches, potato chips, cake, punch and coffee.

The personnel included Mr. and Mrs. Robert Decker, Dr. and Mrs. T. B. Knopp, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Bradley, Dr. and Mrs. O. B. Taylor, Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Heath, Miss Bertha Schuchard of Stamford and the hosts, Judge and Mrs. Noonan.

GUY NEWCOMBE BURIED.

DEVINE, Tex., Sept. 15.—The funeral services of Guy Newcombe, who died at his home here Saturday, was held from the Methodist church Sunday, with Rev. Lancaster officiating, with Editor W. L. DuBose assisting. At the grave the Masons took charge of the service. The deceased was a World War veteran and the pallbearers were all overseas men. He leaves his widow, Margaret Uibrich, and two young sons.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Announcement Rates:
Precinct office \$ 5.00
County office 7.50
All others 10.00
FOR SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce CHAS. J. SCHUEHLE as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Medina County at the November election.

Miss Rena Cox spent the week-end in Devine, the guest of her parents. Miss Rosa Mae Stapleton visited friends in Hondo Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. R. E. Goodnight of Denver, Colorado, visited relatives here during the past week. Mrs. Goodnight will be remembered as Miss Pauline Eckhart.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Oefinger spent Sunday in Knippa, the guest of Mrs. Oefinger's parents, Mrs. and Mrs. Smith, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Balzen and son, Earl, Mrs. C. H. Fuos and Mrs. E. W. Balzen attended the funeral of Mrs. Joe Haegelin in Castroville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Schweers and sons, C. J. and J. D., visited relatives in San Antonio Sunday.

Harm Gerdes, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gerdes and baby visited relatives in San Antonio Sunday. A number from here attended the box supper and dance at the Burrell school Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bohlen of Sabinal spent several days the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Balzen.

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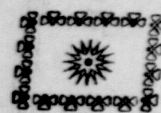
Mr. Lebold's death the unity and county sustained a loss and distinct loss, a loss cannot be appraised by mere estimate, but in true appreciation of what he did and ideals that he left behind him in life. He was an exemplary citizen, a friend, the kindest of neighbors, a husband and loving father. He ever to come in contact with him are the richer for it. To Mr. Lebold was to love him and his personality, enriched with kindness and desire to be of service.

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alone, to some degree, shall be grievously wound caused by his death, but his influence and kindness and unselfishness will be remembered. His memory lives on in the gratitude and deep affection of his life's service, by whom during his life time were known enough to know Otto L.

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EDITORIALS



Better one unselfish friend than all the tainted gifts within the hands of a commonwealth!

Fall and winter pasture crops are in order now, as soon as seasonable rains fall. Winter grazing is one of the farm's most profitable crops.

The farm that has had the good fortune to produce enough grain and hay to carry a reasonable amount of live stock without having to sacrifice them is fortunate indeed, and proves again the value—and safety—of a diversified system of general farming.

The unprecedented drouth now afflicting the country should teach one wholesome lesson—that there is danger in curtailed production and want and suffering follow failure to produce in abundance on our farms. The world must be fed and our farms must do it. "Farming must pay or the nation will perish."

Mouthpieces of Sterling that three weeks ago were contending that the question of a state road-bond issue was a thing of the past have already started the new propaganda and the people of Texas will have to fight the question all over again—and that with an administration that claims credit for it thoroughly entrenched. Such is the price we pay for venting an unreasoning spite on those we hate.

FARMING congratulates its old friend, T. S. Minter, of Teague, Texas, on having developed the Lillian Minter Gladiolus, a new variety of this popular flower. To have added in this way to the world's store of beauty is an accomplishment of which to be proud; to so appropriately perpetuate through it the name of his own beautiful daughter affords a satisfaction not given to many fathers.

After the dismal ject it proved to be in 1914, when there was a world war to give it zest, even so discredited a politician as Dan Moody must be in desperate straits for means of keeping in the public eye to drag out that hoary old buy-a-bale joke. By what quirk of mind does he think his proposal is any part of state craft or that his brief political power constitutes him a leader in economic thought?

Texas has just passed through a campaign the like of which probably has no parallel in political history. Tried and proven statesmanship is retired to the scrap-heap while mediocrity, fat on accidental wealth, is elevated to a post of honor that vindictive hate may vent its spite on those who deserve a better fate. And out of such a mess there are some simple enough to expect political peace and tranquil progress!

The vindictive hate with which the Fergusons have been pursued by their enemies ever since a bunch of crooked politicians found out they could not control Jim is enough to make the devil grow envious and look well to his laurels. But the fact that, despite all that organized wealth could buy and a venal or misguided press could influence, 383,262 Texans still believe in according them a square deal should afford them more satisfaction than can come to him who fills an office purchased at a price in dollars and cents that puts it in the class with the cowboy's estimate of the price John D. Rockefeller paid for his chair paw.

"FARM RELIEF" PROVING A FALLACY.

Time usually vindicates all things. Some times it is surprisingly quick about it.

Calm, cautious Cal Coolidge was roundly abused for his veto of a so-called "farm relief" measure only a few short years ago—and by members of his own party most severely of all!

With an unseemly haste, the present incumbent of the President's office affixed his signature to a similar measure only to see every staple commodity of the farm touched by the machinery set in motion by the law drop to a level below production costs and the whole scheme thoroughly discredited, as a business undertaking, in less than a year's trial.

Time has vindicated the wisdom of President Coolidge in refusing to hold out a false hope to a distressed agriculturist.

Those who placed their faith in Hoover are getting only what they should have expected—disappointment.

TAXATION ABSORBS HALF NATIONAL SURPLUS.

James A. Emery, General Counsel of the National Association of Manufacturers, says there is no greater popular delusion than the belief that tax relief is an accomplished fact. "We save at Washington, and waste in the state capitals."

"Our tax situation cries for reform and demands permanent and enduring leadership, unless we are willing to permit the vast proportion of our hard-won surplus to be taken from private administration and expenditure, and to be spent by and for the government."

"Taxation is indispensable to government, and government is indispensable to individual and collective security. It is not the fact of taxation, but its form and amount which menace our progress."

Government in all its forms is plainly consuming 12 per cent of our gross national income. Startling as that may be, it is not the whole truth, for we are told that three-fourths of the national income is consumed, socially and individually, in the productive effort. It is that surplus over and above what we socially and individually consume that provides the funds of progress. It is not the product of the farmer's fields which measures his prosperity. It is what he has over and above operation and living that permits him to improve his tools, enlarge his acreage, better his stock, and enlarge his family life and their opportunities. We move forward, individually and collectively, from the margins above consumption.

It is important to reflect upon the stunning fact, not that government is taking 1-7 or 1-8 of our income but is absorbing 1/2 of our national surplus.

"The remedy is with the citizen. It calls for individual and collective action. We must awaken a tax-consciousness which makes each realize that the cost of government is a vital part of his own cost of living, wherever its charge primarily falls."

Any way, Sterling has the satisfaction of knowing that he is the second choice of about three hundred thousand Texas voters. As a "second-choice" governor with the "Moodyism" heritage, we are of the opinion he is going to need all the comfort he can get.

When one's body is ill the wise physician finds out the cause and removes it.

The quack and the charlatan hold out a false hope to the patient and let his malady grow worse.

The cause of agriculture's ills is the discriminations it suffers that other industries may prosper.

The only remedy for such an illness lies between the choice of one of two treatments.

Either agriculture must be made a governmental favorite through some such special favor as the debenture plan, in order that it may be placed upon an equal footing with other government protected interests, or special favoritism to other interests must be abolished all along the line.

No other treatment can ever reach the source and cause of agriculture's ills or offer more than temporary relief from what ails it.

Any thing else is quackery and charlatany of the rankest sort.

And the logic of events is proving it in the present essay at "farm relief" beyond the shadow of a doubt—even as was expected by thoughtful people.

FROM THE MAN WHO PAYS.

A gentleman who owns property, maintains a steady payroll and pays heavy taxes was asked his opinion on a proposed "special" tax measure. Replying, he said:

"My opinion will be considered prejudiced because I am not a guest at the county poor farm. Nevertheless, I am an investor and maintain a payroll which helps keep many families in my state. I still have the right to express myself as the power of speech has not yet been legislated or taxed away. Double taxation and all forms of special taxation get farther and farther away from the basic principle of equal taxation and tend to undermine democracy and the constitutional rights of our citizens."

"Most tax bills today are framed on the theory of expediency; that is, from whom can the most be taken in taxes with the least likelihood of losing votes, and to camouflage as far as possible the continual increase in per capita tax bills required to cover the cost of the new and 'progressive' or 'socialistic' legislation which is constantly forced on the people. Economy with the 'other fellow's money' (the tax payer) is something that the average legislator and lawmaker is not in favor of. It is promised before elections but consummation of the promise is seldom seen."—Selected.

The peak prices incident to wartime hysteria have evidently finally and definitely subsided, in so far as farm and ranch products are concerned, and we can reasonably expect a long period of comparative low prices. With industry protected by a high tariff, transportation empowered by law to levy a tariff rate that will produce certain profits despite the quality of service and with organized labor levying all the tribute the traffic will bear because of immigration restrictions, other commodities will be slow to find a common price level with farm and ranch products. And interest and taxes will go no lower. It will be hard, in the meantime, for the farmer who is in debt to avoid bankruptcy and the man who is out of debt will have hard enough sailing to weather the storm. But in this crisis as in most others, salvation for the farmer lies in making the farm as nearly as possible self-sustaining.

A pleasant smile will take you where a frown has never been.

FUTILE LEGISLATION.

In an article in the American Rifleman, Lieutenant-Colonel Calvin Goddard comments on the widespread use of machine and shot guns by gangsters which, he says, illustrates the futility of attempting to legislate small arms out of existence.

"... Let us hope that those who are now agitating for further restriction on the sale of small arms will realize the impossibility of obtaining the desired end by the course they are pursuing," says Colonel Goddard, "and may be moved to direct their energies, not toward wholesale restriction, but toward encouraging the employment of arms by reputable citizens and discouraging their employment by the hoodlum, through the medium of mandatory additional punishment for any individual with a crime record convicted of committing a crime with firearms in his possession."

This is an eminently sensible viewpoint to take. A well-armed citizenry would constitute a definite menace to the criminal which he would be quick to respect. And, if he knew that additional punishment would come his way if he was caught with a gun, he might think twice before carrying a weapon while pursuing his "profession."

Anti-revolver laws have been admitted failures in several states. In contrast to this, Alaska affords an interesting example. This territory has no gun laws to speak of, yet it has a far lower crime record than any state in the union. Criminals steer clear of places where they know good citizens will shoot first and talk afterward.—Selected.

SOLVING THE FARM PROBLEM ON A BUSINESS BASIS.

In four years there has been a jump in Idaho farm production that is phenomenal.

In 1921, carload shipments over the Union Pacific from the farms of Southern Idaho totaled 151. In 1925, they totaled 1213. They included 434 carloads of butter, 455 carloads of cheese, 208 carloads of eggs and 116 carloads of poultry. It will be noticed that the shipments were butter or eggs or poultry, rather than hay or other bulky commodities.

The Idaho farmers have found that to reduce feed to the higher values of dairy and poultry products, results in products for which there is readier demand in the markets.—Selected.

If modern politicians could ever once be consistent the results would no doubt prove interesting. Some months ago our national government went to considerable expense to inaugurate an elaborate scheme for "farm relief." About the only tangible results the scheme has brought forth is a lot of learned (?) advice to the farmers to reduce production. Before the farmers have accepted the advice an unprecedented drouth comes along and reduces the farmers' production more effectively than any "learned" advisers ever contemplated, and now this same beneficent bunch of politicians forget all about "farm relief" in their hurry to rush "drouth relief" to these same farmers. If politicians had any sense of consistency some of them would go hide themselves.

Bad luck seldom sets long in the direction of the man who doesn't believe in it.—Motor Chat.

A THUNDER STORM.

By Geo. E. Pentecost.

Oh, such awful sultry weather!
Gets us all into a lather—
Keeps us wiping perspiration,
While we fan in desperation!

Not a leaf is seen to rustle
And it is too hot to hustle,
So we loiter about and grumble
Until we hear a distant rumble.

Heedless of the gentle warning,
We swelter on, with drowsy yawning;
Until more clearly peals the thunder,
And the lightning bursts asunder!

Clouds that gathered in the distance
Now are sweeping all resistance,
And the sky grows dark and dusty,
As the wind comes stout and gusty!

Mother hens begin to scurry
To their coops, in greatest hurry.
And their brood begins complaining
Of the fact that it is raining!

Then begins terrific hailing,
And a voice is heard bewailing.
That, while forked lightning's snapping,
Clothes are on the line a flapping!

SONG OF THE PAGAN HEART.

By Ralph Marie Audrieth.

I am a pagan,
And with pagan soul unblessed
By Christian Gods
I walk the Earth.

They would have me think of much unrest
And punishment when the clouds
Of clay cover my unholy self.

But I have a greater God than they,
A God of the lonesome trail,
Who laughs with me when I am gay
And aids me in travail.

My God is in the sunshine
And in the laughter of a stream;
His face is seen in the far-away pine,
And in the whole of nature's scheme.

He does not ask for penance fee
Nor threaten with eternal fire,
Nor preach a stilted sanctity
From a burning funeral pyre.

My God of the hills is the God of youth,
And rules with a kindly hand;
All His goodness reflects the Truth
And Beauty of His celestial land.

THE GYPSY SEA.

By Jessica Morehead Young.

The sea's a Gypsy maid, sparkling and bold;
She roams the border lands and knows no rest.

Quite off her romances are left untold,
She captures youth, from out the East and West,
From many shores of isles, at her command;
And laughs she at the cottage homes
Through spray,

She dances from the frigid waste to sunny land
Where plumed palm trees bow homage to her sway.

Ah, her breast trembles when remembering
The ships that sailed along her sun-kissed path.

In pleasant days of gay adventuring,
And in the frightful hours of storm and wrath,
When they unanchored struggled on her bay
When her great waves drew round them like a wrap!

ORCHID MIST.

By Lorene Warren Baxter Meers.

O'er shadowed by great, rugged peaks above
The tropic seas lie rippling in the sun,
And gorgeous songbirds fill the air with love
As they announce another day begun.
Small, laughing wavelets wash across the sand,

Which forms a sheltered cove along the shore.

The white-capped breakers roll in toward the land

And dash against the cliffs with muffled roar,

While in from sea, on snowy wings, the seagulls soar.

Tall palms and bambóo, dot the lower slopes,
Entwined with orchid blossoms dainty, rare,
The highest spiritual shade to raise our hopes

To God's dear kingdom, good and pure and fair.

Clear, rippling waters leap the falls in glee,
Above cool glades, where ferns and lillies grow,

And fall in tumbling cascades toward the sea.

From wide-spread cypress, waving to and fro,

Soft, trailing moss, like phantom plumes, is swinging low.

Above the wooded heights the snow-caps gleam,

Each backed by placid skies of deepest hue.

A haze of orchid mist hangs like a dream
About the silent peaks of silver-blue.

But look! A mighty ship with sails full spread

Appears off shore with pirates bold, who nod
To this blessed land that knows not sin or dread.

Its sacred ground by man has n'er been trod,
But man can never quite defile the work of God.

REGRETS.

By Mary Louise Frazier.

When life no longer seems so gay,
And some have found to their dismay
That joys have come and gone too soon—
It's then they know that it's high noon.

The sun has reached its highest goal
And mid-day bells repeat their toll.
Now they must dance to their own tune
That such fools play before 'tis noon.

They dwell on memories of the past,
But reach the point in life at last;
They look to life's great promised boon,
But ah, the time is far past noon!

Time flies—the sun is sinking low;
And only God and they will know
The mingled feeling of joy and pain
Before their soul is free again.

THE AWAKENING.

Amie L. DeBerger.

Love swiftly comes, and fleet of wing,
It causes you to gaily sing;
Like rose leaves after summer's dew,
The world is all aglow for you.

Gone are the dreams, soon comes the dawn
You are awake.—Lo, Love has gone;
Long days are drab and filled with care,
Fate deals out 'Memories' your share.

There is a big fat boy that's called Sterling
Who knocked out Thomas B. Love a whirling
Out of the governor's race with a blow
From a handful of his Humble oil dough

And it's a safe bet Tom loves not Sterling!

WHEN COMES GOOD-NIGHT.

A Moonlight Reverie.

By Mrs. Elizabeth Giles Winn.

Shine on, big silvery moon,
I crave your magic light,
Creating a holier beauty
Through the darkened night.
The sun appears with the light o' day
To prove your part you must toil away
Pierce deep night in a glorified light
And though you shine on each alike,
Surely your brightness from heaven is lent
To soothe the wayward heart—
Perchance through darkness rent.

Encouraging, inspiring one on toward the right,
Where God's throne is mighty and marvelously bright,
No heartaches are apparent there,
Just peace and good will,
Too alluring for compare
With this old world of care.

Even our beloved Lindy, fearless in flight,
Can't venture to you so high and so bright.
Yet your soft irresistible light
Doubtless increased that heroic desire
To make his goal ever higher and higher.

Majestic Moon, far away from the stress
Of the gross band of the merciless;
Where soul is in unison with soul,
And each is a more perfect whole,—
There, where I'll find no night,
Still I'll want your clear, calm light,
Showering into my groping night
The divine peace of "All's Right,"
When comes eternal good-night!

THE WINE PRESS.

(An Autumn Reverie.)

By Fletcher Davis.

Along boyhood's wooded lanes, where my
truant footsteps used to stray,
The wild wood-grapes again are purpling in
the Autumn sun today,
Holding within their own plump and ripened
fullness a treasure rare
Of nectar that well might the gods of old
find sweet beyond compare!

But the wine-press mercilessly must crush
this fair fruit of the vine,
Before is freed the walled-up sparkling spirit
of its ruddy wine,
And out from the foul lees and the dregs
comes the pure bubbling treasure
Nature's sweet gift, from her stored-up
bounty, for our strength and pleasure!

Ah, how like unto the grapes are these selfish
hearts of yours and mine
That must be broken to separate the gross
and vile from the fine!

AMBITION.

By Louise Dillon.

Forever in the heart of man
Discontent his ambitions fans;
Thus little problems growing great
In serious minds originate.

The wonder as a system grows
Quite fills his mind as worth it shows;
The vastness he can not dispute,
Completed give proof absolute.

What discoveries will unfold
To searching minds can not be told;
So many minds does life employ
To give us all that we enjoy.

May He Who does our future know
True wisdom in our lives bestow
And courage give—to do and dare
Toward perfection all our share.

Here are two of the 16 pages comprising
September Farming. You can get it with
this paper one year for only 50c more.

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HONDO, TEXAS, SEPT. 19, 1930.

OWLS BEAT OUTLAWS 9 TO 0.

From the Owl.
Friday, September 5, the Owls and the Hondo Outlaws met on the High School Field at 3:45 P. M. and staged an interesting and exciting football game that ended with the Owls earning a 9 to 0 victory. The match was above the usual pre-season games of this class and furnished some exciting plays and showed the Owls to be fast developing into a strong combination. The Owls scored in the first quarter when Homer Rothe was tackled behind his own goal line to give the school squad 2 points. The Outlaws had been forced to their own goal line by a well placed punt. The second and third quarters were evenly matched with occasional gains by both teams. The Outlaws got a passing attack to working in the third quarter that netted several first downs before being stopped. In the third canto the Ow's, led by Windrow, got to circling end and ran the Outlaws until their tongues were hanging out.

In the last session the Owls drove down the field by the use of several neatly executed plays. The Feathered Flock got the ball within the 10-yard line of the Outlaws and after being repulsed three times, Edward Taylor slipped around end for touch-down. A pass to B. C. Rucker was completed for the extra point and made the score 9 to 0.

The line-ups were:

Owls (9)	(0) Outlaws
Snay	Pettis
Left end	Montel
Left tackle	Snooks
Left guard	W. Meyer
Center	M. Mechler
Right guard	Speece
Right tackle	Travis Taylor
Right end	Windrow
Quarterback	H. Rothe
Left half	M. Smith
Right half	Thomas Taylor
Fullback	

Subs: Owls—F. Rucker, end; B. Mechler, tackle; E. Mechler, tackle; Hyatt, tackle; Windrow, quarter; Taylor, fullback; Ulbrich, guard; J. Smith, guard. Outlaws—Rath, end and Love tackle.

There were only a few people, besides the students out to see the game. If the town people would come to see these games it would help make this season a bigger success.

THE FIVE RING CIRCUS COMING TO THIS SECTION.

Greatest Show on Earth Announces Early Appearance of Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey with 1001 Wonders and New Attractions.

It's actually coming. There is but one really great circus. And there it was good news which was today received that Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey's Greatest Show on Earth will soon visit this section. The first advance advertising car, carrying the appearance of the circus, is in this territory and its gaily colored posters and lithographs are forth the news throughout the countryside.

(Coming on its own four trains of 10 double-length railroad cars, carrying its entire complement of 1,680 persons and 1,700 animals. The great Ringling-Barnum combined circus will exhibit more new features than ever before in its history, including an entire tribe of Ubangi natives and women from the remotest of Africa, a region in which white men have ever set foot. These primitive savages with mouths and lips as large as those of full-grown crocodiles will appear as a feature of the main performance, and as a separate attraction. And there will be a return engagement by popular demand, of Hugo Zaccini, the Human Projectile, who is now being bodily from a cannon in more terrific and longer flights than last season.

The Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Circus with its multitude of animals brought from the four corners of the Earth will exhibit in San Antonio Friday, September 26.

Get three of your friends to join in a club and all four of you will receive FARMING a year for \$2.00

KONJOLA VERY MEDICINE THIS LADY REQUIRED.

She Rejoices Over Wonder Relief From Indigestion—Happy to Endorse New Medicine.



MRS. ALMA WEBSTER.

"I had stomach trouble for a year and a half," said Mrs. Alma Webster, 5017 Avenue R., Galveston. "Each meal brought pain for my food was not properly digested. Gas formed after every meal at times making me very ill. There were many things I did not dare eat because of the condition of my stomach."

"I kept reading in the papers about Konjola and what it was doing for so many people that I began the treatment. Konjola has so improved my condition that I have not had a sick nor dizzy spell since I began taking the medicine. I can eat anything I wish without fear of subsequent misery. I have improved in general health and am happy to endorse this medicine because of what it has done for me."

Sufferers do not have long to wait after taking Konjola before relief comes. However, a six to eight bottle treatment is suggested for the average case.

Konjola is sold in Hondo, Texas, at W. H. Windrow's drug store, and by all the best druggists in all towns throughout this entire section.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

San Antonio Paper Shell Pecan Co.

No. B—60,160 vs.

Ralph T. Gilpin, et al

In the District Court,

73rd JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Bexar County, Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of

Medina County—GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMAND-

ED, that by making publication of

this Citation in some newspaper pub-

lished in the County of Medina, once

in each week for four consecutive

weeks previous to the return day

hereof, you summon Ralph T. Gilpin

and Harriett E. Gilpin, who are al-

leged to be non-residents of the state

of Texas, and whose places of resi-

dence are unknown, to be and appear

at the next regular term of the Dis-

trict Court of the 73rd Judicial Dis-

trict of Texas, held in and for Bexar

County, to be holden at the Court

House thereof, in the City of San An-

tonio, on the first Monday in October

A. D. 1930, the same being the 6th

day of October, A. D. 1930 then and

there to answer a petition filed in

said Court on the 11th day of August

A. D. 1930, in a suit, numbered on

the Docket of said Court, No. B—

60,160 wherein San Antonio Paper

Shell Pecan Company, a private cor-

poration, is plaintiff, and Ralph T.

Gilpin and Harriett E. Gilpin are de-

fendants; the nature of plaintiff's

demand being substantially, as fol-

lows, to-wit:

This is a suit to recover on five

certain promissory notes, all dated

the 3rd day of November, 1925, and

each for the principal sum of \$1,-

700.00, payable to Ernest H. Greene

and H. W. Corbin, or order at the

Frost National Bank in San Antonio,

Texas, on or before July 1, 1926,

1927, 1928, 1929 and 1930, respec-

tively, each of said notes bearing in-

terest at 6 per cent per annum. All

of said notes were after their execu-

tion and delivery transferred and as-

signed by the said Ernest H. Greene

and the said H. W. Corbin, to the

San Antonio Paper Shell Pecan Com-

pany, plaintiff herein; that all of said

notes are not past due and unpaid,

although payment has been demand-

ed, defendants have failed and refus-

ed to pay the same or any part thereof to plain-

tiff's damage in the sum of \$10,-

000.00. The payment of said notes is

secured by a vendor's lien on the

following described real estate, to-

wit: Lot No. 12 in Block No. 6, Pecan

Unit No. 4, being part of the Conrad

Lehman Survey No. 448, in Medina

County, Texas, containing 20 acres of

land, according to plat of said Pecan

Units duly recorded in Volume 1,

page 1, of the Map and Plat Records

of Medina County, Texas. Plaintiff

prays for judgment against the de-

fendants herein, for the amount of

said notes, interest, costs and attor-

ney's fees, foreclosure of such ven-

dor's lien and order of sale, general

and special relief, which appears

more fully from the petition on file

in this office.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you

before said Court on the said first

day of next term thereof this writ

with your return thereon, showing

how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of

said court, at office in the City of San

Antonio, this 29th day of August

A. D. 1930.

WITNESS, Hart McCormick,

Clerk of District Court, in and for

Bexar County, Texas.

By A. W. HARLOS,

Deputy.

We do Job Printing. Phone 127

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Announcement Rates:

Precinct office \$ 5.00

County office 7.50

All others 10.00

For Representative 77th District.

HON. A. P. JOHNSON

For Tax Assessor.

Yielding to the solicitations of my many friends, I have decided to become a candidate for the office of Tax Assessor of Medina County, and now hereby respectfully announce for said office, subject to the next November general election.

It will be my earnest endeavor to meet every voter before the election, but in case I should not be able to do so, I adopt this opportunity to say that your support and vote will be greatly appreciated by me. I promise, if elected, to render impartial, courteous and efficient service to all.

Sincerely yours,

FRANK M. FINGER.

For Tax Assessor.

In announcing my candidacy for re-election to the office of Tax As-

essor, it is a deep sense of gratitude that impels me to express my ap-

preciation to the voters of Medina

County for their liberal support and

confidence reposed in me. Assuring

you that if I am re-elected I will

endeavor to discharge the duties in-

cumbent upon me as Tax Assessor

impartially to the best interest of

Medina County.

Respectfully,

L. E. HEATH.

At the solicitation of many friends

in Medina County, I hereby an-

nounce myself as a candidate for

the office of Tax Assessor at the

November election, and respectfully

solicit the vote and support of all

voters of the county.

OSCAR L. SAATHOFF.

For COUNTY TREASURER.

I hereby announce myself as a

candidate for re-election to the of-

fice of County Treasurer of Medina

County, Texas, at the general elec-

tion in November, 1930. If re-elected

I shall continue to discharge the du-

ties of the office to the very best of

my ability.

Sincerely thanking the citizens of

Medina County for past favors con-

ferred upon me, and assuring one

and all that their influence and sup-

port will be greatly appreciated by

me. I am,

Yours to serve,

J. J. DROITCOURT.

For County Surveyor.

We are authorized to announce

Arthur H. Rothe

as a candidate for re-election to the

office of County Surveyor of Medina

County at the November election.

For Superintendent of Public In-

struction.

To the Voters of Medina County:

As Superintendent of Public In-

struction of Medina County, I wish

to express my sincere appreciation

for your support in the past and for

the confidence reposed in me as your

school official.

I have endeavored at all times to

pursue common-sense, business-like

methods in the handling of the af-

airs of the educational department

of the county and to keep the faith

of the people by staying with what

I conceived to be for the best inter-

ests of the schools under my super-

vision.

If, therefore, you think that my

administration has been successful,

and constructive in its operations,

I shall assume to solicit your con-

tinued support on that basis alone,

at the November general election;

and if continued in office, I shall dis-

charge my duties as fairly and im-

partially as my knowledge of the

situation will permit.

Respectfully,

W. N. SAATHOFF.

FOR COUNTY CLERK.

Thanking the voters of Medina

County for their support in the past

I hereby announce as a candidate for

re-election to the office of County

Clerk of Medina County and promise

if elected, to continue to render

prompt and efficient service.

Gratefully yours,

S. A. JUNGMAN.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

I hereby announce my candidacy

for re-election to the office of Coun-

ty Judge of Medina County, subject

to the November, 1930, election. For

past favors conferred upon me by the

people of Medina County I feel deep-

ly grateful and if re-elected I hereby

pledge myself to continue to fill the

office to the best of my ability.

Respectfully,

R. J. NOONAN.

FOR COUNTY TAX COLLECTOR

With sincere appreciation and the

profoundest gratitude for past favors

extended me as Tax Collector of Me-

dina County, I again submit my

candidacy for that office to the citi-
zens and voters of the county at the
November general election. I have
endeavored to pursue the best busi-
ness-like methods possible in the
handling the affairs of this office, so
that the people could get speedy,
courteous and satisfactory service.
On this basis I assume to solicit again
the undivided support of all the vot-
ers of the county for another elective
year.

Respectively yours,

F. G. MUENNINK.

FOR DISTRICT CLERK.

Thanking the voters of Medina

County for their support in the past,

I herewith announce myself as a

candidate for re-election to the office

of clerk of the District Court, at the

November election.

Respectfully,

Real Estate, Oil and Investments, O. H. Miller, Hondo, Tex.

Castroville Cullings

LOCAL, PERSONAL AND BUSINESS ITEMS FROM
THIS BUSY BURG
ED. HUEHNER, Local Representative

News and advertising copy for this page for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Huehner or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Tuesday night of each week. Mr. Huehner is authorized to collect and receipt for any business for this paper.

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 17, 1930.

DIED.

Mr. Ben Beck died Thursday morning, September 11, 1930, after a lingering illness of long duration at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tschirhart and was laid to rest at the Saint Louis Cemetery Friday morning, Rev. Father Lenzen performing the last sad rites. Deceased was born at Haby Settlement, February 7, 1862. He was never married. He leaves one brother, Albert Beck, of Rio Medina, three sisters, Mesdames Aug. Bader and Seb. Tschirhart, Sr. of Castroville and Jacob Haby of Utopia and a large number of other near and dear relatives to mourn his demise. Ben carried the mail from Castroville to Rio Medina under Leo Tschirhart as Contractor for quite a while.

Pall bearers were nephews of the deceased, namely Albert and Oscar Karm, Linus and Gabe Tschirhart, Arnold A. Beck and Alvin Bader. Quite a large number of mourning relatives and friends escorted the mortal remains to their last resting place. We join this entire community in sympathy with the bereaved and grief-stricken ones. May he rest in peace.

Mrs. Sophie Haegelin aged 71 years, nee Haby, beloved wife of Mr. Joseph Haegelin, Sr., of Rio Medina died Friday, September 12, 1930, at Santa Rosa Infirmary of San Antonio. Her remains were brought to Castroville and laid to rest in Saint Louis Catholic Cemetery Sunday afternoon, Rev. Father Lenzen performing the last sad rites. Deceased is survived by her aged husband, three sons, namely Henry, Hugo and Joe Haegelin, Jr.; three daughters, Mrs. Joe Adam, Mrs. Adolph Zinsmeyer and Mrs. Ed. W. Tschirhart and seventeen grandchildren. Also one brother, Jacob Haby of Utopia, and four sisters, Mrs. Jos. Schott, Mrs. Emil Schott, Mrs. Emil Kaufmann and Mrs. Helen Ann and a

large number of other near and dear relatives to mourn her untimely demise.

A good woman has gone to her last reward. A devout Christian, a dutiful wife, a loving mother and a kind and accommodating neighbor, always ready to lend a helping hand, beloved and respected by one and all who were fortunate enough to come in contact with her. A very large cortege of mourning relatives and friends escorted the mortal remains to their last resting place. We join this entire community in sympathy with the bereaved and grief-stricken ones. May she rest in peace.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank all those who came to our assistance during the illness and death of our beloved brother, Ben Beck. Especially do we thank Messrs. A. H. Tondre, L. M. Tondre, Thos. Tschirhart and John Schuehle. Also all those who attended the funeral and for the floral offerings.

Sincerely yours,
ALBERT BECK AND SISTERS.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank our kind neighbors and friends who so willingly came to our assistance during the illness and death of our beloved wife and mother, Mrs. Sophie Haegelin. We also thank all those who attended the funeral and for the many beautiful floral offerings.

Sincerely yours,
JOSEPH HAEGELIN, SR.,
And Children.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vonfle attended the wedding of Mr. Richard M. Haass and Miss Clara Schott at Devine Tuesday.

Sunday night's dance at the Electric Park Hall was largely attended and very much enjoyed.

Mr. George Etter and uncle, Mr.

Louis Fuos, were San Antonio business visitors Monday.

Mrs. Ed L. Etter and two sons of LaCoste visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vonfle Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Jungman and son, Leo, of the Potranco were here for the funeral of Mrs. Jos. Haegelin.

The Ladies of St. Louis Parish entertained the Sisters of Divine Providence, teachers of St. Louis School here with a shower at the St. Louis Hall Sunday evening, September 7.

The afternoon was pleasantly whiled away in playing bunco and conversation. The Sisters were the recipients of many nice and useful articles.

Mr. Andrew Halbardier was a San Antonio visitor Sunday.

A Mexican child died Thursday evening and was laid to rest at the Mexican Cemetery Friday evening.

Miss Mamie Halbardier and brother, Sylvan, from San Antonio were visiting here Wednesday evening.

September 20, 1930. The music will be furnished by the Home band. Everybody is cordially invited.

SCHOOL ITEMS.

The Deer Creek and Kincheloe Prairie districts have consolidated the various independent school district and have the following teachers, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Scott, Mrs. J. E. Hargrave, Mrs. Hargrave and Misses Mary Griffen, Carrie Langfield and Adele Straud. The attendance this year is much larger than last year, which will be of much help in athletics. The new regulations and study hall are among the advantages of this consolidation. There has also been a great number of books contributed from these districts to the library. A number of book shelves and black-boards, besides an extra class room were added.

Come and see "Miss Blue Bonnet" at the parish hall on September 23, 1930.

TEXAS AND TEXANS.

(Continued from Page 1)

The Magnolia Petroleum Company is completing a \$300,000 improvement program at Corsicana.

The Panhandle Power and Light Company is erecting a \$350,000 power plant at Mobetie.

The Moody-Seagraves interests are laying gas mains to Huntsville, Elkhart, Grapeland, Crockett, Groveton and Trinity.

The Texas Electric Steel Company has just completed a \$200,000 factory plant at Houston.

The University of Texas has \$1,500,000 in building construction under way and will likely spend an additional \$1,000,000 for buildings within the next year.

A city hospital is being erected at Trinity and plans are under way for a sewerage system.

Taylor county is to start on lateral highway construction program to cover entire county.

A seven story Medical Arts building is planned for Tyler.

Theatre buildings costing from \$100,000 to \$150,000 each are to be built at Victoria, Palestine and Sherman.

The Nueces County courthouse at Corpus Christi will be improved at a cost of \$100,000. Travis county is erecting a \$750,000 courthouse.

Postoffice buildings in immediate prospect for Texas amount to \$1,750,000 and include: Houston, \$615,000; Lubbock, \$350,000; Wichita Falls, \$300,000; Plainview, \$152,000; Coleman, \$100,000.

Fort Arthur is constructing storm sewers to cost \$117,000. Seawall

improvements at that port are estimated at \$2,500,000.

Jefferson county, Beaumont, has received bids on a \$1,000,000 courthouse.

The Galveston county telephone system is being improved at a cost of \$400,000.

A number of streets at Denham are being topped with asphalt.

The Hughes Tool Company is completing a \$150,000 plant at Midland. Grapeland is spending \$45,000 on its waterworks system.

Brownsville is building \$150,000 filtration plant.

Livingston is spending \$100,000 for paving 22 blocks of streets in the down-town section.

The cement industry in Texas is showing a steady gain in production and in sales.

Mount Pleasant will put down fifty blocks of street paving.

Perryton erected 150 new residences during the past year.

Work is under way on the Eagle Pass irrigation project to irrigate 90,000 acres of land.

Telephone exchanges are being built at Bastrop and San Benito to take care of increased business.

The Uvalde Leader-News in August and without any special effort received more new subscriptions than ever before in any summer month.

Alice reports the biggest Saturday business in the history of the town.

"Delicious" apples are being marketed in car lots at Fort Davis at \$3.00 a box.

Diley has shipped out over 100 cars of feedstuff, mostly corn, for which 75 cents a bushel was received.

Yoakum plans a \$150,000 cannery to care for locally grown produce.

Parker county has completed shipment of over 1,000 cars of watermelons.

This is just a part of the news of the present progress of Texas. Prosperity is evident everywhere if one looks about for it, but there has never been a time when pessimists could not find something to complain about. You can take your choice of the kind of talking you like to do, of course, but you will feel better if you look for something to boast instead of something to knock.

GOOD RESIDENCE FOR SALE

A nice five-room residence, with bath, sleeping porch, garage, etc., located on Carl Ave. for \$3,500.00, fifteen hundred cash and balance in two equal payments. See either member of Hondo Land Co.

FLETHCER DAVIS, Phone 127.
GEO. H. KIMMEY, Phone 172.

Subscribe for this paper.

FOOT BALL

HONDO HIGH OWLS

VS

SOMERSET BULLDOGS

Saturday, Sept. 20

3 P. M.

High School Athletic Field

ADMISSION: 25 - 50c

D'Hanis Doings

A round-up of Local, Personal and Business Items gathered weekly by our regular Correspondent

Miss Viola Koch

to whom all items intended for this page should be handed not later than Wednesday noon of each week. Miss Koch is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper.

D'HANIS, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1930.

Come and see "Miss Blue Bonnet" on September 23, 1930.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rothe were Hondo visitors Wednesday.

Mesdames Bill Weynand and daughter and Joe Lutz, Jr., and daughter, Margaret, were Hondo visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ay. Weynand and children were Hondo visitors Wednesday.

Mr. Louis Carle, Jr., was a San Antonio business visitor Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Statzenberger of San Antonio are spending several days here with Mrs. Statzenberger's sister, Mrs. Ed. Keller.

Mesdames Aug. Nester, Alvina Koch and Miss Hulda Nester were Hondo visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joan Mueller and children of San Antonio spent Wednesday here with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mueller.

Mesdames Nick Koch and Toby Koch of Hondo were the guests of Mrs. Ernest Mueller Wednesday.

Mesdames Oscar Tondre and Louis Carle, Jr., were Hondo visitors Thursday.

Mrs. Mary House and son, Bill, were Hondo visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. John Zinsmeyer and sons were Hondo visitors Thursday.

Elmer Koch and William Rudinger were Hondo business visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Ryan of San Antonio is spending a few days here visiting relatives.

Misses Viola and Corine Koch were Hondo visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Reilly of Hondo were visitors here Tuesday.

Mrs. Chas. Hubbard and daughter, Dorothy, and son, Maurice, were Hondo visitors.

Dr. Smith of Hondo was a business visitor here during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Albrecht and children were Hondo visitors Wednesday.

Mr. Bert Cameron of San Antonio spent Wednesday here on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reynolds of Hondo were visiting Mrs. Reynolds' mother, Mrs. Deckert.

Mr. Ervin Lutz visited relatives at Devine Sunday and Mrs. Lutz and in the W. O. W. Hall, Saturday night,

children returned home Sunday evening after several weeks with relatives.

Dr. James Turner returned home Friday from the Santa Rosa Hospital where he has been under medical treatment.

Mesdames Wm. Finger and family, Eric Rothe and children, Arnold Finger and children spent Sunday at Con Can.

Rev. Dean F. Mass returned home last week from the Santa Rosa Hospital where he had been under medical treatment.

Mrs. Louis Carle, Jr., was a Hondo visitor Wednesday.

Mesdames Ferdie Koch and Ed Keller and Miss Viola Koch were Hondo visitors Tuesday.

Don't forget the big night, September 23, 1930.

IN MEMORY OF FATHER.

Dead, yes dead, do we call him,
Father, oh must this be you?
A flower faded and vanished,
A heart that was tender and true.

Gone, yes gone, he has left us,
Father, for ever we did part,
Lonely and sorrow does always ome,
Sorrow for us in every heart.

Heaven, yes Heaven, we wish him,
Wishes, yes, not only few,
Mother, sad and lonely,
And children grief stricken, too.

Farewell beloved one, we miss you,
We mourn your presence bright,
Since you have gone, dear Father,
Our days seem dark as night.

Your loved companions miss you,
And at your vacant chair
They pause to mourn in silence
For Father is not there.

Dearest beloved one, one we must lay
there
In the peaceful grave's embrace,
Thy memory will be cherished
Till we see thee heavenly face.

His loving daughter,
MRS. ERVIN LUTZ.

An old time dance will be given in the W. O. W. Hall, Saturday night,

BOON'S SPECIALS

For Saturday and Monday

BUY \$10.00 WORTH OF GROCERIES AND GET 10 POUNDS OF SUGAR AND 1 POUND COTONUT LARD FREE

BUY \$6.00 WORTH OF GROCERIES AND GET 5 POUNDS OF SUGAR AND 1 POUND COTONUT LARD FREE

BUY \$3.00 WORTH OF GROCERIES AND GET 2 POUNDS OF SUGAR AND 1 POUND COTONUT LARD FREE

BUY \$1.00 WORTH OF GROCERIES AND GET 1 POUND OF SUGAR AND 1/2 POUND COTONUT LARD FREE

We Give Trades Day Tickets

BOON'S STORE



SPECIALS

SATURDAY, SEPT. 20

SUGAR 51c

IN CLOTH BAGS, 10 Pounds (Limit)

BACON 32c

MIDLAND SLICED, Per Pound

COFFEE 34c

MAXWELL HOUSE One Pound Can

PINEAPPLE 24c

LIBBY'S SLICED, No. 2 1/2 Can

CRACKERS 10c

BROWN'S SALTINE FLAKES, Per Box

BANANAS 5c

PER POUND

Mystery Special?

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TRADES DAY TICKETS
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'M' SYSTEM STORE

GEO. SCHUEHLE, Manager